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I am strongly opposed to the proposed anti-trust settlement that the United States has negotiated with Microsoft.

Microsoft has worked hard to make intertwined, inflexible licensing and poor interoperability an industry norm.

Microsoft today is no different than Standard Oil & Carnegie Steel 100 years ago. Please reconsider taking harsher action against Microsoft.

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